

# The Least Restrictive Transportation Environment Continuum: What Every IEP Committee Should Know

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Safe Routes to School	Parents Transport without District Reimbursement									Parents Transport with District Reimbursement					District Contracts for Commercial Service	
	Regular Route School Bus Service			Special Needs School Bus Route Service						Public Transit Bus Mixed Use Service			Paratransit Bus Service		Commercial Accessible Bus and Taxi Service	
WWW Student rides from home and from school alone or with peers 	RRDO Student uses regular route school bus with driver alone 	RRDTL Student uses regular route school bus with lift, driver and monitor 	RRDT Student uses regular route school bus with driver and monitor 	SSDA Student uses special needs bus with disabled peers and driver alone 	SSDT Student uses special needs bus with disabled peers and driver team 	SSDTL Student uses special needs lift bus with driver team 	SSOTNL Student uses special needs bus with driver team and nurse with special training with limited ride time with added equipment with intervention 	SSDTA Student uses special needs bus with driver team and travels alone without peers 	SSDTP Student uses special needs bus with driver team and 1-on-1 paraprofessional attendant 	TDOL Student uses accessible public transit one way 	TRDOL Student uses both accessible school bus and public transit 	TTDOL Student uses accessible public transit both ways 	PPDOL Student uses paratransit with driver alone 	PPOTL Student uses paratransit with driver and attendant 	TAXIL Student rides in accessible Taxi with a driver alone 	ORTB Student uses accessible bus for over the road bus service for out of town travel, field trips or extra-curricular activity 
SAFE ROUTES TO & FROM SCHOOL	Assigned Bus Stop	Assigned Bus Stop	Assigned Bus Stop	GATE-to-GATE PICK-UP & DROP OFF			DOOR-to-DOOR PICK-UP & DROP OFF			TRANSIT BUS STOP PICKUP and/or DROP OFF			HOME PICK-UP & DROP OFF		CURB-to-CURB PICK-UP & DROP OFF	CURB-to-CURB PICK-UP & DROP OFF



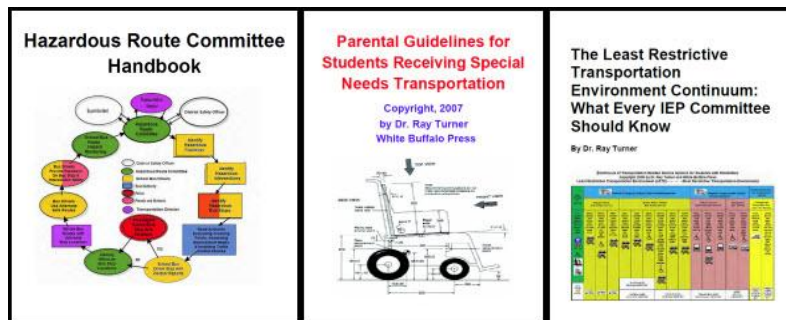
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